

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
Application Number: 10/685,491

Our Ref: Q77963
Art Unit: 3711

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-12 and 14 are all the claims pending in the application. Claims 13 and 15 have been cancelled, without prejudice or disclaimer.

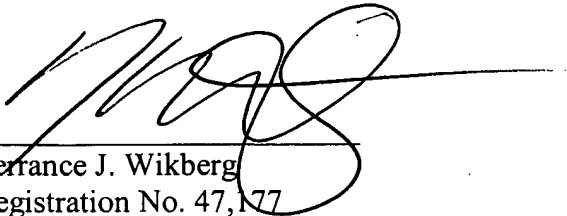
Because claims 13 and 15 were the only claims rejected in the Final Office Action dated June 1, 2005, Applicant submits that the above referenced application is now in condition for allowance.

Conclusion:

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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